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Dick White Cotter Corporation Western Slope Operations PO Box 700 Airport Road NUCLA, CO 81424

RE: ML 45609-Building Stone/Limestone

Dear Mr. White:

Thank you for a detailed notification regarding your proposed Papoose limestone quarry on lands under the above numbered Utah state mineral lease, in San Juan County. I am consulting with appropriate agencies regarding the possible need for Cotter Corp. to perform a cultural resources survey of the effected lands and will keep you advised.

Division rules require bonding of mining operations in the amount of \$5,000 per acre of surface disturbance. The amount of bond required for your proposed 4.83 acre disturbance is \$24,150. Please immediately submit a surety bond using the enclosed surety bond form. Alternatively you may submit a short term renewable time CD from a Utah banking institution, providing that the Utah School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration is listed as a joint owner of the certificate.

As you may be aware the Utah Division of State Lands & Forestry will be succeeded by the Utah School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration, as the agency for state trust lands, commencing July 1, 1994. The address for the agency remains unchanged.

Sincerely,

JOHN T. BLAKE

MINERAL RESOURCES SPECIALIST

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cc: Wayne Hedberg

